

Table 3B, Effect of the Hepatitis B Vaccine on IDDM

Incidence of IDDM in Auckland, NZ

Year	Incidence of Diabetes (cases/100,000)	
1977	8	
1978	6.5	
1979	7.5	
1980	7	
1981	8.5	
1982	10	
1983	12.75	
1984	9.25	
1985	11.25	
1986	14.5	Average incidence 1977-1987
1987	12.75	9.8
1988	12.25	Hep B Immunization program begins
1989	14.5	
1990	11.5	Average incidence 1989-1996
1991	12.75	13.3
1992	14	
1993	11.25	Relative Risk: 1.36
1994	11.25	
1995	13	
1996	18	

Source: Dr. Robert Elliott, International Society for Pediatric and Adolescent Diabetes, September 1998, Zurich